

## THE GAZETTE.

MONDAY EVENING, JANUARY 4.

## CALENDAR FOR 1875.

1875.	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
JAN.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
FEB.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
MAR.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
APR.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
MAY.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
JUNE.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
JULY.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
AUG.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
SEPT.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
OCTO.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
NOV.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
DEC.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7

## Alexandria Gazette

1875.

THE ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE AND VIRGINIA ADVERTISER has already entered upon the last quarter of a century of its existence. Few newspapers in the country are its seniors. During all this period its prominent object has been to advance the interests of the people of whose life it is the daily chronicle. Its fortunes have been their fortunes; it has shared their prosperity and suffered in their disasters. Its inspiration has been the desire to forward the best interests of the community in which it is located, and its own prosperity is, as it has been purposely made, inseparable from that of the community that it aims to represent. When they grow rich it hopes for a reward commensurate with its labors. While they are poor, it expects to work with them and for them, expecting to make their success the measure of its own.

The past of the Gazette is offered as an index of its future. It has never failed to avail itself promptly of all the improvements which come with the greater growth and more extended experience of journalism.

The Gazette means to be the newspaper of Virginia.

It will furnish daily a complete account, with superlatives only lopped away, of all the current news of the world.

As the interests of the people mainly centre at home, no pains will be spared to chronicle all matters occurring in the city and neighborhood, carefully excluding unseemly expressions or gross narrative as unfit for a journal that is treasured at many thousand hearthstones of Virginia.

Especially attention will be devoted to presenting, as well from original sources of information as from its exchanges, the news of Virginia.

Its contiguity to Washington gives the Gazette an early precedence over all the journals of the State in intelligence of the operations of the General Government, now of such vital importance to the people of the South. The proceedings of Congress will be regularly reported in succinct form for its columns, but all matters of especial interest in Virginia will be given in detail.

From the State Capital it will receive early and accurate accounts of the proceedings of the General Assembly and of all the operations of the State government likely to interest the people.

In its commercial columns the special feature will be promptness and accuracy. The farmers, drovers and commercial people of the State know they may depend upon the Gazette.

Early and reliable reports of the Grain, Cattle, Grocery and other Markets will be furnished, and the prices and position of the stocks, which are the subjects of business transactions in this section of the country, carefully quoted.

The continual favors of those who have once used the Gazette as an advertising medium is a warrant for saying that it pays to advertise in its columns.

## TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION.

## DAILY.

One year.....\$8 00  
Six months.....4 00  
Three months.....2 00  
One month.....0 75

## TRI-WEEKLY.

One year.....\$5 00  
Six months.....2 50  
Three months.....1 25

Payable in advance.

Alexandria, January 1, 1875.

## JOB PRINTING

1875.

Alexandria Gazette

## Job Printing Office

GAZETTE BUILDING.

We respectfully call the attention of our customers and the public generally to our extensive assortment of all kinds of

## JOB TYPE,

selected with great care, from which we are prepared to execute

## Job Printing,

OF ALL KINDS,

guaranteeing perfect satisfaction in every particular.

Our facilities are such that we are enabled to

PRINT ANYTHING,

FROM A VISITING CARD TO THE LARGEST POSTER.

WE GUARANTEE OUR PRICES TO BE AS LOW AS THOSE OF ANY MORE NORTHERN CITY.

PERSONS FAVORING US WITH THEIR ORDERS MAY RELY UPON HAVING THEM PROMPTLY FILLED.

WEDDING CARDS,

BUSINESS CARDS,

RAILROAD RECEIPTS,

LETTER HEADS,

LABELS,

TAGS,

TICKETS,

BILLS OF LADING,

BLANKS,

BRIEFS,

BOOKS,

POSTERS,

HAND-BILLS,

&amp;c., &amp;c., &amp;c.

## ORDERS FROM THE COUNTRY

Filled at short notice.

## SEND IN YOUR ORDERS

## BOOTS AND SHOES.

1875.

The subscriber has just had manufactured one of the largest and best stocks of goods in his line ever offered in this market, which he can afford to sell at prices to suit the times. He names in part—

LADIES', GENTS', MISSES', BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S

## BOOTS &amp; SHOES,

OF FINE AND COARSE WORK,

manufactured from the best material, and in the most durable and elegant manner, comprising a great variety of new and handsome styles. Also a large stock of

## BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS

SUITABLE FOR THE

## COUNTRY TRADE.

to which he invites the especial attention country merchants and farmers. All in want will do well to call before purchasing elsewhere.

## W. B. WADDEY,

74 King street.

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

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## GIFT CONCERT.

## POSTPONEMENT.

## FIRST GRAND GIFT CONCERT

FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE

Montpelier Female Humane Association,

AT ALEXANDRIA, VA.

MONDAY, MARCH 29, 1875.

## LIST OF GIFTS.

1 Grand Cash Gift.....\$100.00  
1 Grand Cash Gift.....50.00  
1 Grand Cash Gift.....25.00  
10 Cash Gifts, \$10.00 each.....100.00  
15 Cash Gifts, 5.00 each.....75.00  
50 Cash Gifts, 1.00 each.....50.00  
100 Cash Gifts, 50c each.....50.00  
1,000 Cash Gifts, 5c each.....50.00  
20,000 Cash Gifts, 2c each.....400.00  
22,178 Cash Gifts, amounting to.....\$1,000.00

Number of Tickets, 100,000.

## PRICE OF TICKETS.

Whole Tickets.....\$20.00  
Halves.....10.00  
Quarters.....5.00  
Eighths or each Coupon.....2.50  
54 Tickets for.....100.00  
Eleven Tickets for.....20.00

The Montpelier Female Humane Association, chartered by the Legislature of Virginia and the Circuit Court of Orange county, proposes, by a series of Grand Gift Concerts, to establish and endow a Home for the Old, Infirm and Destitute Ladies of Virginia, at Montpelier, the former residence of President Jas. Madison. The Association is under the control of eight trustees, six of whom are elected biennially by the stockholders and two appointed by the Governor of Virginia.

Reference by permission: His Excellency, James L. Kemper, Governor of Virginia; His Excellency, Gilbert C. Walker, ex-Gov. of Va.; Hon. Robert E. Withers, Lieutenant Governor of Virginia and U. S. Senator elect; Hon. Robt. W. Hughes, Judge Eastern District of Virginia; Senators and Members of Congress from Virginia.

Governor's Office, Richmond, July 3, '74. It affords me pleasure to say that I am well acquainted with a large majority of the officers of the Montpelier Female Humane Association who reside in the vicinity of my home, and I attest their intelligence and their worth and high reputation as gentlemen, as well as the public confidence, influence and substantial means liberally represented among them.

JAMES L. KEMPER, Gov. of Virginia.

Alexandria, Va., July 8th, 1874. My personal acquaintance with a majority of the gentlemen controlling the Montpelier Female Humane Association and the reputation of all of them enables me to commend them as fully entitled to the confidence of the public. No act or representation inconsistent with honor and integrity need be apprehended in the conduct or representations of these gentlemen.

R. W. HUGHES, U. S. Judge East. Dis. of Va.

For full particulars, testimonials, &c., send for circular. Remittances for tickets may be made by express pre-paid, post-office money order on Alexandria, Va., or by registered letter, addressed to Hon. JAMES BARBOUR, President M. F. H. A., Alexandria, Va. Reliable Agents wanted everywhere.

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## JNO. A. FIELD,

MANUFACTURER OF

Cigars, Tobacco, Snuff, Pipes,

&amp;c., &amp;c., &amp;c.,

NO. 71 KING STREET.

Give me a call. jan 1

## GRAHAM FLOUR,

Made from selected and delectated wheat BY A NEW PROCESS, and guaranteed free from all impurities or adulteration.

## GEORGE R. HILL &amp; CO.,

POTOMAC HOMINY MILLS,

nov 12 Alexandria, Virginia.

## ATTENTION, GROCERYMEN.

We have been appointed Agents for J. B. FICKLIN & SONS' CELEBRATED BRIDGEWATER FLOUR. We have a full stock on hand, put up in best manner. Wholesale and retail at the family grocery trade. We guarantee it equal to any Flour in the market. All we ask is a trial. BECKHAM & LEE, 42 King street.

NEW GOODS—A full stock of CLOTHES, MEN'S AND HEAVY WOOLLEN GOODS, for men's use, Gray and White Blankets, Bed Spreads and Counterpanes, Heavy Bed Quilts or Comforts, Grey, Red and Blue, Twill Flannel, and all goods in our line at the lowest prices.

dec 4 R. L. WOOD.

TOMATO CATSUP, by the gallon, quart and pint, in store and for sale at 147 1/2 King street.

dec 12 W. F. BROOKES.

BURT'S FINE SHOES.

FOR LADIES, MISSES AND CHILDREN,

At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

## STEAMBOATS.

## WINTER ARRANGEMENT

## POTOMAC RIVER LANDINGS.

After this date the steamer PILOT BOY will be run as follows: Leave Washington, from 6th st. wharf, every TUESDAY and SATURDAY MORNING, at 7 o'clock, for landings as far down as Currier's, returning on WEDNESDAY and SUNDAY.

F. A. REED, Agent.

## POTOMAC FERRY BOATS.

On Sunday, the 20th, and until further notice, BOTH FERRY BOATS will be on the line between Washington and Alexandria. Hourly trips from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.

S. S. EOWISON, Prest. Potomac Ferry Co.

## CLYDE'S STEAM LINES

TO PHILADELPHIA, PROVIDENCE AND BOSTON.

Steamers leave Alexandria EVERY TUESDAY and SATURDAY, at 12 o'clock m. Leave Philadelphia EVERY TUESDAY and SATURDAY, at 12 o'clock m. This line connects at Alexandria with the O. & A. M. and W. & O. R. R., and at Philadelphia with the new and popular "Iron Line," for Providence and Boston.

Freight forwarded with promptness and care, on commission. No charge for transfer in Philadelphia, and no wharfage in Boston. Through rates and through bills of lading given. Insurance guaranteed at less than usual rates.

Agents: P. A. REED, Alexandria. WM. P. CLYDE & CO., Philadelphia. GEO. F. HYDE, Georgetown, D. C.

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## MERCHANTS' LINE NEW YORK STEAMSHIPS.

The line consists of the following first-class outside steamers: E. C. KNIGHT, Capt. W. S. Johnson. JOHN GIBSON, Capt. W. H. Winters.

VALLEY CITY, Capt. Redell. Will leave New York EVERY SATURDAY for this port; and, returning, will leave Alexandria EVERY FRIDAY, at 10 o'clock.

All freight must be on the dock by 9 a. m. For freight apply to

HOOE &amp; JOHNSTON,

Agents, No. 2 Prince street.

Agents in New York

GEO. B. MERRICK,

no 22 228 South st. Pier No. 39 East river

## NORFOLK AND BOSTON.

The steamer LADY OF THE LAKE, connecting at Norfolk with the steamer of the Merchants' and Miners' Trans-Atlantic Transportation Company for Boston, will leave her wharf, No. 4 south wharves, EVERY MONDAY and THURSDAY at 2:30 p. m., for Norfolk. Returning, leave Norfolk on TUESDAY, and FRIDAY, at 3 p. m., stopping at Fort Washington, Glymont, Piney Point, Point Lookout and Fortress Monroe.

This line, connecting at Alexandria with the O. & A. M. and W. & O. R. R., and at Norfolk with the Boston steamers, offers superior inducements for the rapid and safe shipment of all kinds of freight to Boston. The rates being low, the attention of shippers is particularly directed to this feature. All freight forwarded free of commission, and through bills of lading given.

For freight or passage apply on board, or to V. D. GRONER, Norfolk, J. G. WATERS, Georgetown, or

F. A. REED, Agent Alexandria. A. G. PLANT, Gen. Agt., Washington, D. C.

First class fare to Norfolk, \$4; round trip, \$6. Second class fare to Norfolk, \$3; round trip, \$5. ap 22-1d

## CABINET FURNITURE.

JAS. F. MUIR, JOHN A. MUIR

JAMES F. MUIR &amp; BRO.,

[Successors to Wm. H. Muir &amp; Son.]

Manufacturers of and Dealers in

## FURNITURE,

141 and 143 KING STREET,

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

A large and fine stock always on hand. jy 31

JAMES H. DEVAUGHN,

Manufacturer and Dealer in

## FURNITURE,

No. 130 King street,

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

LOOKING GLASSES,

HAIR, COTTON TOP,

AND HUSB MATRESSES,

kept constantly on hand and made to order at reasonable prices.

In order to secure prompt attention orders should be addressed to

my 18-1f JAMES H. DEVAUGHN,

No. 130 King street.

STEPHEN A. GREEN, JAMES E. GREEN,

GREEN &amp; BROTHER'S

## STEAM

## Furniture Works and Saw Mill

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Having fitted up our factory with the latest and most approved machinery, we are prepared to furnish all kinds of HOUSE, OFFICE and SCHOOL FURNITURE at the very lowest rates; and are also prepared to do all kinds of SAWING and TURNING, MOULDING, PLANING and CARVING in our line.

Wanted, in exchange for the Furniture, Walnut, Popular, Oak, Maple, Birch and Cedar Logs. je 8-1f

JOSEPH L. GRIGG,

## MERCHANT TAILOR.

86 King street

In order to reduce stock, will sell at very low prices to prompt customers. Clothing to order or goods by the quantity. In store a full line of CLOTHS,

CASSIMERES, and VESTINGS,

of all colors, and best quality. Also specialties in COATINGS, consisting of

DIAGONALS, BASKETS, and STRIPES,

and a select assortment of OVERCOATINGS.

All garments properly made and trimmed. dec 3-ec1m

## NOTICE.

We have a large stock of

## Boys' &amp; Youtbs' Calf &amp; Kip Boots

which will be sold at PRIME COST in order to reduce stock. All in want will do well to call at 74 King street.

dec 8 W. B. WADDEY.

## HUMAN HAIR.

Human Hair Corset Braid, \$1.

Human Hair Braid, 30 inches long, \$2.

Human Hair Braid, 36 in. long, \$2.50 and \$3.

COMBINATIONS made up in any style in the best manner. Wholesale and retail at

FERGUSON &amp; BROS. Hair Depot,

Opposite Sarepta Hall.

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FARMERS OR MERCHANTS having in their possession GRAIN BAGS, graded either D. S. Gwin & Co., Gwin & Beckham, Gwin, Beckham & Co., Beckham & Co., or Beckham, Delaplaine & Co., will oblige us by sending them in at once, as having purchased them we wish to put our brand upon them.

DELAPLAINE &amp; FOWLE,

dec 22-1w 27 King street.

## JUST RECEIVED.

A beautiful assortment of

LADIES' NECK TIES, of all colors.

LADIES' GENTS' HANDKERCHES,

NEEDLE BOOKS AND

SPOOL COTTON CASES, of all styles.

dec 10 D. F. WITMER CO.

## RAILROADS.

W. C. VIRG. MIDLAND &amp; G. S. R. R.

## DOUBLE DAILY TRAINS BETWEEN BALTIMORE AND DANVILLE, WITHOUT CHANGE.

SOUTH BOUND. Mail Train. Express.

Leave Baltimore daily	6:00 a. m.	10:15 p. m.
" Washington	7:23 "	11:43 "
" Alexandria	8:00 "	12:23 a. m.
" Gordonsville	12:25 p. m.	4:50 "
" Charlottesville	1:21 "	5:46 "
" Lynchburg	5:43 "	9:5 "
Arrive at Danville	9:00 "	12:45 p. m.

NORTH BOUND. Mail Train. Express.

Leave Danville daily	6:30 a. m.	4:35 p. m.
" Lynchburg	10:05 "	10:15 "
" Charlottesville	1:05 p. m.	1:15 a. m.
" Gordonsville	2:10 "	2:10 "
" Alexandria	6:40 "	6:10 "
" Washington	7:30 "	7:10 "
" Baltimore	9:10 "	9:00 "

## MANASSAS DIVISION.

Leave Baltimore, Washington and Alexandria, daily, except Sunday, with the morning Main Line train. Leave Manassas Junction at 9:17 a. m., arrive at Strasburg at 4:00 p. m. Leave Strasburg at 7:00 a. m., Manassas Junction at 1:30 p. m., and go to Alexandria at 4:00 p. m.

At Washington we make close connections to and from North and West; at Danville to and from South and Southwest; at Lynchburg with Atlantic, Miss. & Ohio, and from Tennessee at all S. A. stations, and at Gordonsville and Charlottesville, with Chesapeake and Ohio, East and West.

PI LUMAS SLEEPER on night trains through between Washington and Danville.

J. M. BROADBENT, G. T. A.

## WASHINGTON &amp; OHIO RAILROAD

## WINTER ARRANGEMENT, BEGINNING

The Mail Train will leave Washington at 9 a. m., and Alexandria at 9:10 a. m., daily, except Sunday; pass Leesburg going westward, at 11:2 a. m., and arrive at Round Hill at 12 m. Leave Round Hill at 12:30 p. m., pass Leesburg going eastward at 1:10 p. m., and arrive at Alexandria at 3:15 p. m., and at Washington at 3:30 p. m.

The Accommodation Train will leave Washington at 4 p. m., and Alexandria at 4:10 p. m., daily, except Sunday, and arrive at Leesburg at 6:25 p. m. Leave Leesburg at 6 a. m., and arrive at Alexandria at 8:15, and Washington at 8:30 a. m.

Passengers from Washington will take the Washington